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Jim Cuddy, Buffy Sainte-Marie to play Forest Fest

JENN WATT

Editor

Crowd favourites and new talent will be entertaining at this year's Forest Festival, hosted at Haliburton Forest and Wild Life Reserve.

National icon Buffy Sainte-Marie will be opening the event on Wednesday, Aug. 16, and the Jim Cuddy Trio will be the last band to play on Sunday, Aug. 20.

In between, organizers have selected an exciting col-



Canadian musicians Jim Cuddy, centre, Anne Lindsay and Colin Cripps perform together at the Bone Lake Amphitheatre on Aug. 16 in this file photo from 2015. Cuddy performed on a floating dock with the trio to a sold out show that saw close to 600 people fill the outdoor concert venue. ANGELICA INGRAM Staff

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lection of accomplished musicians that is sure to appeal to every music lover.

Opening for Sainte-Marie is Ontario-based singer-songwriter Annie Sumi, whose music is a blend of

“folk, roots and ethereal vocalization,” according to her website.

On Thursday, Aug. 17, Jimmy Rankin of the Rankin Family will be bringing the country to the forest with catchy songs you can sing along to.

An eclectic group of musicians will be taking to the stage on Friday, Aug. 18, with Stuart Laughton's Radio Dial. Described as Vinyl Café in reverse, this collection of band members offers a range of sounds from country to pop instrumental hits to Celtic and rockabilly.

Saturday afternoon brings the jazzy Alison Young Quartet to the Logging Museum. Young is the saxophone player with Red Hot Ramble, which was featured at the festival in 2015.

That evening, Angel Forrest and her acoustic trio will “shake some dust from the rafters” with a sound that conjures Janis Joplin, Bonnie Raitt and Melissa Etheridge, organizers say.

On the afternoon of Sunday, Aug. 20, folk singers The O'Pears will perform hot off their European tour.

The Jim Cuddy Trio will be returning to the Bone Lake Amphitheatre on Sunday evening as they did in 2012.

For tickets or more information, go to theforestfestival.com.

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An Arts Council take on the local performing arts scene

GEORGE FARRELL

Special to *County Life*

In addition to its support of writers and the visual arts, the Arts Council Haliburton Highlands is also concerned with the wellbeing of the performing arts. The arts council defines performing arts as "a designation that includes the four disciplines of music, dance, theatre and media arts." But those disciplines depend on behind-the-scenes people such as producers, directors, creators, managers, ticket sellers, lighting and sound technicians, and backstage crews.

So it is to this totality that the council directs its efforts, because the council realizes that in order for the performing arts to thrive locally each area needs to be addressed and everyone concerned needs to be aware of all the other elements that go toward a healthy performing arts environment.

"The arts council gives support to the performing arts by providing all of those involved with networking opportunities," said Kate Butler, the arts council chairperson, who is also the Director of the Haliburton Highlands Museum. "And at the arts council we see ourselves as facilitators who can bring together people who have similar issues, by way of events like the Performing Arts Roundtables."

The Performing Arts Roundtable (PAR), is a committee of the arts council

made up of people involved in all four disciplines, both on and off the stage. They meet to discuss the challenges and future of the performing arts in the Highlands and they work with other performing artists to find solutions to challenges and to celebrate successes. The present PAR committee consists of Jack Brezina, Sean Pennylegion, Kate Butler, Amanda Virtanen, Dan Manley, Chris Lynd and Barrie Martin.

Defining the challenges and the issues involved has been fodder for all previous roundtable events, the latest of which took place at the Pinestone Resort on March 29. "We've been able to identify and take inventory of what's available in the community and what people are looking for," Butler said. Previously at roundtable events, issues such as audience development and transportation to events were discussed, but one of the challenges that keeps cropping up has to do with available venues; those places where performers perform. So PAR-tee, the name given to the Pinestone roundtable was specifically dedicated to venues, defining what they are, and what they offer.

At the PAR-tee there were people who represented such venues as the Red Umbrella Inn, the Pinestone Resort and Conference Centre, Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion, the Haliburton Highlands Museum, Canoe FM, and the Rails End Gallery, as well as Highlands Little Theatre, the Summer Festival, the Haliburton Highlands Folk Society, Jazz at the Museum, the

Canadian Blues Legends series, individual performers, and band members from such diverse groups as the Highlands Chamber Orchestra, Fifth Business and the Wolfgang Brothers. Notable by his absence was Rahim Lakhani, the owner of the Beaver Theatre in Minden. However, there was a lot of intermingling and passing of information and business cards by those in attendance.

Butler said there was a different set of needs regarding rehearsal venues, as opposed to performing spaces, and different costs involved. She also said that on the arts council website www.haliburtonarts.on.ca there are two online surveys, one concerning venues and another for performance spaces. "There are a series of easy questions for people to fill out," she said. "And we appreciate any and all information which will enrich the performing arts experience for artists and their audiences."

The council hopes to turn the information gleaned from the roundtable, and from the surveys, into a database. The data will soon be available on the website to arts council members, and to a wider audience. "There will information regarding stage size, lighting and sound equipment, seating capacity, accessibility, and the availability of such things as food and beverages at venues," Butler said.

She cited such successes as last year's transportation of people to a dress rehearsal of the Highlands

Chamber Orchestra, organized by Sean Pennylegion and the Legion of Elderly Gentlemen, and the work being done on a performing arts planning calendar, as examples of the kind of networking results that the PAR events promote. Butler said that issues for the next PAR get-together, at a yet-to-be determined date in the fall, could include elements of events promotion.

Rheaume coming to Minden

The powerful, slightly gritty voice of Amanda Rheaume will resonate throughout the Minden United Church beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 22, as part of the Haliburton County Folk Society concert series. The evening will be filled with catchy, folk-country-pop melodies.

Tickets are available online at www.haliburtonfolk.com, Halco Electronics/The Source in Haliburton and The Organic Times in Minden. For more information call 705-754-FOLK or visit www.haliburtonfolk.com.



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Musicians prepare for spring concert

Above, From left, Brian Hamilton, Bonnie Black and Frank Boccitto practise with the Highlands Wind Symphony in preparation for the annual spring concert.

Top right, Christopher Chumbley on tuba practises A Place to Stand in preparation for the Highlands Wind Symphony’s annual spring concert, Canadian Sketches. The concert is Sunday, April 23 at 3 p.m. at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion in Haliburton.

Middle right, Beth Kipping directs the Haliburton Highlands Youth Ensemble, at left, during a practice for the upcoming concert. The kids will be accompanying the band for a couple of numbers. The show also includes the Highlands Swing Band with Jerelyn Craden. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$25 for families and are available at Master’s Book Store in Haliburton and Minden Pharmasave.

Bottom right, the flute section practices Apollo with the rest of the Highlands Wind Symphony at the high school.



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What the necklace said...

LAURIE JONES

Special to *County Life*

THE GOAL of the Rails End Gallery Boutique, for many years, has been to showcase and promote local artists through the sale of their artwork. For this service our charity takes 30 per cent commission, which amounted to a whopping \$3,500 in last year. Not exactly a booming business, but a worthwhile social enterprise.

The Rails End Gallery Boutique Improvement Committee was formed a couple of years ago to see what could be done to improve its revenues and increase sales. Discussion ensued. What are the boutique's strengths, opportunities and weaknesses? How does it support the Rails End's mission to provide the general public with opportunities to explore, appreciate and experience the creative arts? Where does the boutique fit into fundraising and how can it be bolstered? The committee decided to tackle that persistent itch – the one that won't go away; the fact that very few of our customers live locally. We asked is that because Haliburton residents do not buy gifts? Or does Haliburton simply not realize we exist? Could it be because we don't have what you need? Or desire, afford or long for? On a recent trip to the Toronto Gift Show (for retail store buyers) members of the committee were flabbergasted at the sheer volume of wholesale craft and art items bound for the shelves of rural shops, most of which is not made in Canada. Somebody somewhere is buying this stuff so what are we doing wrong? Are we to assume that there is no appetite for hand-crafted in Haliburton County? "Not so fast," said the little voice inside my head "What about that mission statement, the part about giving the public the opportunity to explore, appreciate and experience the creative arts? Get back to what you do well, and the rest will follow."

And so it was that the Rails End Boutique Improvement Committee gazed inward and began to see the objects in the boutique as beautiful educational tools, not gifts; the artists as sources of inspiration, not goods; the boutique itself as a learning lab, not a store. I exaggerate only slightly when I say the objects spoke! "Bet you didn't know I can go in the dishwasher," said the stoneware mug by Susanne James. "Every one of my seams is sewn in a traditional Inuit stitch, and I am made from a XXXL men's cashmere vest," chortled the cuddly newborn sweater set by Eva Rutherford. Not to be outdone, a Kent Graham spalted maple bowl purred, "I was pure and unblemished until I met that nasty looking fungus! Who knew it would work out so beautifully." On and on they went. The Boutique Improvement Committee listened. Chris Montgomery's glass beaded necklace's said something I will remember long after it's gone from the display case; it twinkled at me and whispered, "Not many people can wear me, but they all want to try me on. I just adore making people happy."

Over the next few months the Rails End Gallery Boutique Improvement Committee plans to introduce Haliburton County to the wonderful world of hand-crafted objects and their stories. Come, visit Rails End Gallery and Arts Centre and join the conversation.

The Boutique at Rails End Gallery and Arts Centre is open Wednesday to Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday 12 to 3 p.m.

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What turkeys think

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1. I can't believe she's calling collect!
2. Damn telemarketers!
3. Spring will be much better when we finally invent call display.
4. I didn't know Microsoft Windows had a repair department.



STEVE GALEA

Humour Columnist

5. Does she know how desperate she sounds?
6. Really? On the first date?
7. That's certainly not a hen I could take home to mother.
8. She must be a TSL student. Wait, who teaches turkey as a second language classes around here?
9. Yeah, she sounds weird, but what harm could come from stopping by to say hello?
10. She's hilarious! Hey guys, listen to that hen do an imitation of a hunter who sucks at turkey calling!

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Visitors wandered the aisles of art at Haliburton School of Art and Design in this file photo. This year's show is Saturday, April 22.



Visitors wandered the aisles of art at Haliburton School of Art and Design in the Great Hall for the I Made It end-of-semester show and sale in this file photo. There was plenty to see with glasswork, painting, drawing, jewelry, metalwork and more. JENN WATT Staff

Check out students' art this Saturday

Special to *County Life*

A flurry of activity is happening in the studios of Fleming College. Students are busy preparing for *I MADE IT!* the end of semester art exhibition hosted by current students in full-time diploma and certificate programs at the Haliburton School of Art and Design. This one-day show will take place on Saturday, April 22 between 10a.m. and 3p.m.

I MADE IT! provides an opportunity for emerging artists to gain exhibition experience and showcase their many talents. The student-based initiative will feature a variety of media from winter semester students including glassblowing, artist blacksmithing, jewelry, Drawing and Painting and Integrated Design. Artists will be available to discuss their works and answer questions. Select works will be available for purchase. The exhibition is free of charge and open to all. Join inspiring art students for light refreshments as well as the opportunity to explore the unique and stimulating space that is the Haliburton School of Art and Design.

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Seeing things differently: Doc(k) Day takes viewers around the world

JENN WATT

Editor

Documentary day on April 8 gave attendees a new way to view the world, organizer Tammy Rea said at the conclusion of the annual spring event. The audience could see the world through the words written by *New York Times* obituary writers in *Obit*, through the lens of cinematographer Kirsten Johnson in *Cameraperson*, or through the other senses of blind angler Lawrence Gunther in *What Lies Below*.

The day of documentaries, titled Doc(k) Day, is put on by Those Other Movies and involves the efforts of a handful of volunteers who select films to bring to the Haliburton audience. They're screened throughout the day at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

The final two films of the day, *What Lies Below* and *In Pursuit of Peace*, included Q&A sessions with the

directors.

Garry Beitel, director of *In Pursuit of Peace*, told the audience that he saw promise in the work of UN Habitat, which deploys mediators into conflict zones. His film noted that Canada's role as a peacekeeping nation had waned and that military intervention was no way to promote peace.

The film follows unarmed civilian peace-makers in some of the world's most war torn areas including South Sudan, Democratic Republic of Congo and northern Iraq.

It illustrated some of the dilemmas encountered when outside mediators step into conflicts that have involved injury, betrayal and sometimes death and rape. How do communities move forward after those kinds of hostilities? While the film clearly favoured peaceful negotiation over further violence, the scenes Beitel captured demonstrated there are no clear answers. Conflict resolution is hard work and can take decades.

Beitel said the filmmakers had been invited to screen *In Pursuit of Peace* at the United Nations and he hoped it would get to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau.

Aside from Doc(k) Day and the Haliburton International Film Festival in the fall, Those Other Movies also brings important and entertaining movies to Haliburton each month from September to June. For more details, see their website: www.haliburton-movies.com/movies.html.



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ASES students create a musical legacy

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County Life Staff

Earlier this month, local students were singing loudly and proudly, sharing their legacy with their peers.

Fifty Archie Stouffer Elementary School students from Grades 2 to 8 collaborated with Newburgh-based musician David Archibald in producing *The Leader in Me* and the Archie Stouffer songs, culminating in a performance of the songs on March 27 to peers in the primary grade entrance. They were chosen for their love of music to participate in the enrichment program for the Artists in the School program.

ASES principal Jane Austin said this is a "legacy piece for these kids."

She saw this relationship as a way to give her students a chance to work with other peers under unique circumstances. It not only brings professional talent to the school, which is affordable to everyone, but enriches the learning experience.

"When we partner with programs like Artists in the Schools it's just an amazing way to enrich a student's school experience. So, I'm all for it whenever we can get those kinds of opportunities," she said.

She adds there is a sophistication and depth to the songs, as they include choruses, bridges and harmonies.

Archibald said *The Leader in Me* song, which is based on a schoolwide initia-



Archie Stouffer Elementary school hosted musician David Archibald, who performed original songs created with a select group of 50 of the school's students. The project was part of the Artists in the Schools program. Students from Grade 2 to 8 spent two days collaborating with Archibald to write and sing *The Leader in Me* and the Archie Stouffer songs, which were later produced into refined songs by the singer/songwriter. **DARREN LUM** Staff

tive, takes listeners on a musical journey highlighting the school's Seven Habits of Highly Effective Leaders such as being proactive, beginning with the end in mind and putting first things first.

"The kids had a terrific grasp of these concepts, and we were able to turn a wealth of brainstorming ideas into a song by noon on day one," he wrote in

an email.

The other song, Archie Stouffer, was focused on highlighting the positive aspects of the school.

It prompted a strong response from the students, he adds.

"There was no shortage of ideas for this one — including tributes to such famous Archie Stouffer student-driven organiza-

tions as the Garbage Club and the Snow-Shovelling Club. Due to time constraints, these clubs didn't make it into the song, but the end result was a charming tribute to a well-loved school," he said.

He will now create full arrangements of the songs — drums, bass, etc., and send the music files back to the school for use on websites, slideshows and more.

The students worked two days towards the completion of the songs.

The first day the students worked on the songs in the school. Archibald took the lyrics and added music. By the second day, the students practised it, recorded it and then performed for the school and faculty in the primary wing of the school. Archibald will finalize the songs with some editing and production, layering it with back tracks and send the final version back to the school.

With visual arts already being taught through an outreach effort, the school's principal believed this learning opportunity was the "music piece" of the diverse offering the school has provided this year, which most recently also included sessions on learning to break dance.

Archibald's work at the school is supported by the Arts Council — Haliburton Highlands. Around the county, Archibald is a familiar face from his many musical appearances at events, whether it was at schools in the area, the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion or at various holiday themed shows. He adds this program has won awards from the Ontario Heritage Foundation.

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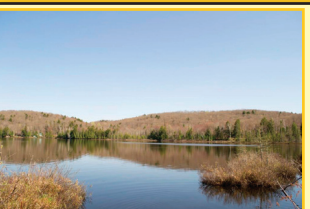
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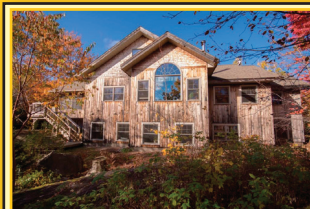
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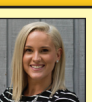
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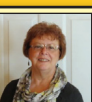
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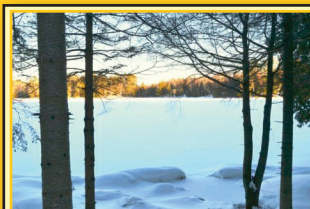
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Haliburton Highlands Music Festival - Day 1

When: Thursday, April 20
Where: Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion
Cost: Free
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Haliburton Highlands Music Festival - Day 2

When: Friday, April 21
Where: Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion
Cost: Free
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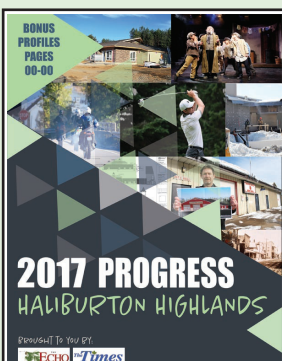
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New Site For Local Library

A large group of businessmen filled the Council Chambers to discuss the matter of the site of the new proposed public library. This question has been discussed for some months now and the Library Board have considered a number of possible sites for the new building (which by the way is our centennial project), however, apparently the only site offered was one adjacent to the fire hall.

Council at a recent meeting remarked that there seemed to be little interest by citizens regarding a new library but when it became known that a site had been selected behind the fire hall where ninety percent of the people passing through would not be aware that we had a library, things began to liven up with the result that council called a special meeting and all who could crowded in to hear the question discussed.

Prior to the meeting a number of interested citizens looked over a piece of ground situated east

of the gate at the Community Hall grounds and felt that this would make an ideal location for the new site.

Later at the meeting R. J. Curry acted as spokesman for the deputation and traced the history of the library since its inception in the year 1900 when council had acted on a petition by interested citizens at that time and established a library. The speaker stated that he was speaking for the majority in asking that the building such as this be placed in a suitable spot between the entrance to the park and our new community arena. In considering this matter he said that we must look to the future. Reeve Brohm stated that he thought council would approve the new suggested location, but he warned that the construction of any additional buildings in this area would interfere with parking space.

We are informed that the council has approved the new site.

Kindergarten Discussed

A group of interested parents from Haliburton and surrounding area met with the members of the Dysart Township School Area Board at the Lakeview School in Haliburton on Monday evening to discuss the transportation problems involved in the setting up of a Kindergarten.

Len Salvatori, chairman of the School Board, outlined to the 40 people present the progress that has been made in the setting up of the proposed Kindergarten. He went on to tell the group of the problems confronting the board on a location and transportation.

At the present time the board have two possible sites for the Kindergarten. One is a room in the present Eagle Lake School which is vacant, and they are now looking at another location in Haliburton.

A survey has been taken by the board which shows that 49

children will be starting to kindergarten. Of these 49 children 33 are from Haliburton, eight from Stanhope, and eight from the West Guilford area, with none from Eagle Lake. A decision on the location is expected to be handed down next week.

All those attending the meeting came home with the feeling that they are now well informed on the functions and problems facing the School Board and that these elected members are doing an outstanding job.

Dr. H. P. Bishop Enters Hospital

We are sorry to report that Dr. H. P. Bishop entered St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto on Monday for an operation. All of his friends wish him a speedy recovery.

J. David Irwin Arrives In Taipei, Formosa

J. David Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Irwin of Carnarvon, has arrived recently in Taipei, Taiwan (Formosa) for a two-year sojourn as a representative of F.A.O. (the World Food and Agriculture Organization) whose interests spread beyond both food and agriculture. He relates very interesting experiences while visiting many places en route, via the headquarters of the organization in Rome.

Dave attended school in Carnarvon, continuation school in Minden, and took his Grade 13 in Lindsay. He graduated from U. of T. in Forestry and was awarded the first degree of Master of Wood Technology from the University of Michigan.

For seven years he was on the Forest Faculty, U.N.B. in the field of Wood Technology. Since 1960 he has been liaison officer in Ontario between the wood using industries and the Forest Products Research Branch of the Federal Department of Forestry.

Sunday Movies Are Back

Sunday movies are back at the Molou Theatre, Haliburton and the Beaver Theatre in Minden.

At the Molou you can see that exciting spy story "The Man from Istanbul" in color, and at the Beaver a thrilling sea story "Saboteur" starring Marlon Brando and Yul Brynner.

Show time at 7:15 and 9:15 p.m. at both these theatres.

Rotarians Off To Kirkland Lake

Rotarians and their wives from the Rotary Clubs of Minden and Haliburton are leaving today (Thursday) for the Rotary District Conference which is being held this year at Kirkland Lake on May 6, 7 and 8. Registration is today at 2 p.m. at the Park Lane Hotel. A good representation is expected from both local clubs.

Haliburton County Lumbermen Honoured At North Bay

Close to 400 delegates gathered in North Bay from all parts of Ontario as the 50th Annual Meeting of the Forest Products Accident Prevention Association was held at the Empire Hotel on Saturday, April 23rd.

Regular business occupied the sessions with one of the highlights of the Convention the election of directors. Mr. J. W. McNutt, past president, of North Bay, was the chairman of this session. Mr. Elgin Stouffer of Minden was elected director for the south western region filling the vacancy created when R. Glen Hodgson, M.P.P. was given the unique honour of being made a lifetime director with all privileges of full director. Mr. McNutt mentioned the great assistance and work of Mr. Hodgson to the association and stated it was the recommendation of the sixteen

directors that this be considered by the membership to the youngest man ever proposed for this honour.

Present to see the presentation of the Merit Award given to W. A. Curry for logging a full year without an accident were the following area lumbermen: Mr. Pat Waddell of Weldwood of Canada, Mr. Pacey of the Schwandt Lumber Co. of Harcourt, Mr. Wallace McElwain and Perry Morrison of the William Curry Lumber Co., Mr. Grenville Martin of Martin Lumber Co. of Harcourt, and Mr. Elgin Stouffer of Stouffer Lumber, Minden.

The end of the day session of activity was the most interesting address of Dr. Herbert True who held the entire audience enthralled for over one hour with the text, "Humour - the sixth sense of man".

Minden United Church Bowling Banquet

A very delicious dinner was served to 42 ladies of the Tuesday Afternoon League in the Church Hall, Minden by the U.C.W.

After the banquet, trophies were presented, the Minden Bowl trophy to Dorothy Walker's team for highest score in the play-offs, and the Floyd Hall trophy for second to Charlotte O'Neill's team.

Individual trophies were presented to Laureen McCracken for high single of the year, 291, and to Mamie Swann for high triple of 850. She also received the Ogopogo trophy for high triple.

Gifts were presented to Mary

Cox's team, high for the year, and to Dorothy Walker's team, highest in play-offs.

Officers chosen for 1966-67 are President Jean Taylor, Secretary Charlotte O'Neill, Treasurer Annie Kernohan, and Captains Mary Cox, Millie Prentice, Laureen McCracken, Dorothy Walker, Maud Coulter, Charlotte O'Neill. The club presented Mrs. O'Neill with a lovely gift in appreciation of her many years as secretary.

The evening continued with games, with winners for euchre being Blanche Johnston and Laureen McCracken; cribbage Mamie Swann and Ina Brintnell.

This concludes a fine season of bowling and lots of fun for all joining in it.

Honoured By Sunday School

The staff of the Haliburton United Church Sunday School presented Mr. Berkeley Feir with a beautiful Royal desk set on Sunday morning last.

The gift was in appreciation of his service rendered as Secretary-Treasurer over the past 33 years.

Mr. William Gliddon who made the presentation paid glowing tribute to Mr. Feir for his contribution to the Sunday School over the years. Mr. Gliddon also remarked that during his term as Superintendent, he had time and again relied on the advice of the secretary-treasurer, not only in a financial sense but in other matters regarding the operation of the Sunday School.

Mr. Feir in a few words of thanks stated that he had never regretted the time that he had given in serving the Sunday School and urged the scholars to continue their loyalty to the superintendent and teachers in order that the Haliburton United Church Sunday School would continue to remain a strong organization within the church.

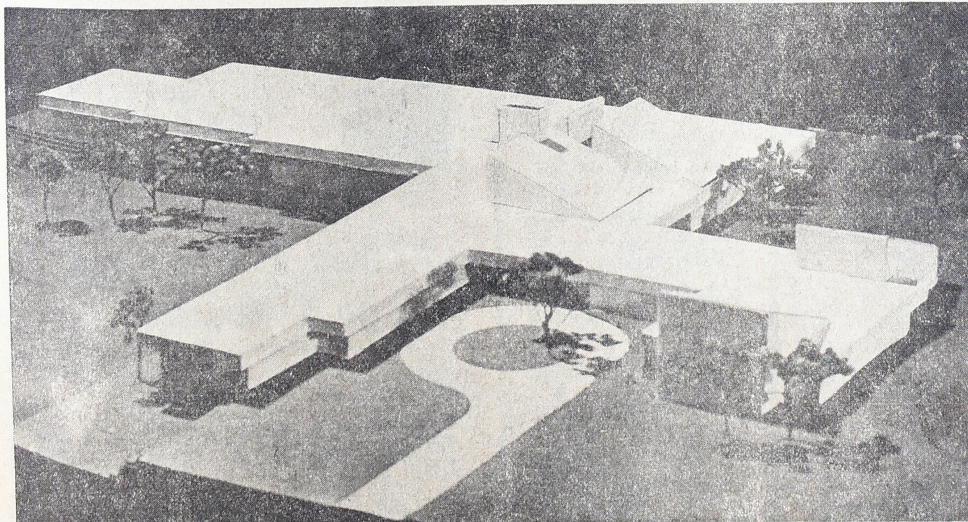
Haliburton Camera Club

Judges from the Lindsay Camera Club selected as winners slides by Jack Mackay, Harold Proctor, Ray Stinson, Joe Taylor, Elwin Robertson and Dan Oneil.

The winners were chosen from a group of 37 entries at the last regular meeting of the Haliburton Camera Club held Thursday, April 28th. Approximately 30 members and guests were present.

Coming Events: Thursday, May 12th, 8:00 p.m. at the High School, Kodak's "Focus on the Fair". A pictorial report on the colourful New York World's Fair, with instruction on camera technique, composition, and the use of Kodak colour films. Visitors welcome.

New Home Nearing Completion



A meeting of the board of management of Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home was held in Minden on Tuesday, April 26. Those in attendance were Mark Vasey, Mrs. Kay Lunham, Walter L. Hobden, Mrs. Muriel Medley, Frank Puffer, Berkeley Feir, Frank Welch, and R. A. Banke. The fact that Hyland Crest Home is not in operation is causing

the board no little concern as it was figured that May 1st would see the home being made ready to receive guests by the middle of the month, but it now looks as though it will be some time in June before the Home gets in operation.

It was stated at the meeting that certain members of the board were meeting with consid-

erable criticism due to the fact that a number of staff members who were hired to operate the new home were being paid before their duties have actually commenced. However, when said persons were engaged it was the considered opinion of the board that the home would be ready to receive residents by the middle of April at the outside. We

can well imagine the commotion that would have resulted if the home was ready for occupancy but there had been no staff engaged to operate it.

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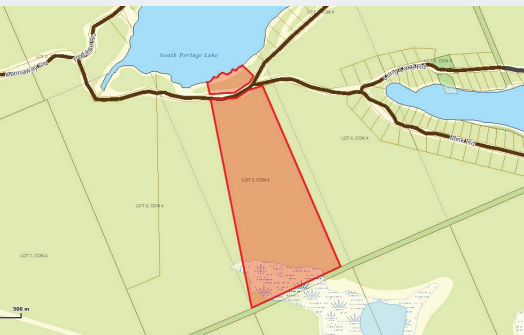
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